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## REMARKS

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Applicants herein request entry of the sequence listing filed on June 29, 2004 into the instant application. In response to a Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures (Filing Date Granted) mailed February 12, 2004, Applicants filed a sequence listing on CD-ROM, in lieu of a paper sequence listing, on June 29, 2004 by Post Office to Addressee Express Mail, addressed to Box Missing Parts, with a petition and fee for a three-month extension of time. Applicants herein request entry of the sequence listing filed, which listing is a text file entitled "13499US.txt" on the disk entitled "FILE COPY SEQUENCE LISTING COPY 1 OF 3 (PAPER COPY)".

Support for the amendment can be found in the application as filed, for example, in Table\_12.txt, Table\_13.txt, Table\_14.txt, and Table\_15.txt, which are tables related to nucleotide sequences that were filed on CD-ROM on the application's filing date, in duplicate, on a compact disk labeled "DOCKET 13499, PATENT APPLICATION, DISK 1 OF 1, COPY 1 OF 2." The amendment adds no new matter. Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendment.

## Conclusion

No fee is believed to be due with respect to the filing of this amendment. If any additional fees are due, or an overpayment has been made, please charge, or credit, our Deposit Account No. 11-0171 for such sum.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding the present application, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number provided below.

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